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SUBJECT: LAWS GOVERNING FIREARM IMPORTATION

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POST UNFORTUNATELY LACKS RESOURCES AT PRESENT TO
UNDERTAKE STUDY OF GDR LAWS
AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING IMPORTATION OF
FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION. FOREIGN TRADE IN THE GDR IS,
HOWEVER, UNDER MONOPOLY CONTROL OF THE STATE, WHICH
MEANS THAT ANY IMPORT HAS THE SPECIFIC APPROVAL OF THE
GDR CENTRAL GOVERNMENT. RE PARA 3 REFTL, WE HAVE NO
DOUBT THAT EAST GERMAN REGIME EFFICIENTLY MONITORS
THE DISPOSITION OF FIREARMS, IF ANY, IN THE HANDS OF THE
POPULATION.
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